GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1613
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Detention of SSB Personnel
Sathyabama Smt. V.

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is true that Nepal has detained 13 Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) personnel recently;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has taken up this issue with the Nepal Government; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the response received thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) to (d): On 29 November, 2015, two personnel of an SSB patrol party inadvertently entered the Nepalese territory while pursuing a group of smugglers. Other members of the SSB patrol party reached the India-Nepal border following their colleagues. They were invited inside the Nepalese territory by the personnel of the Nepal Armed Police Force. All personnel of the SSB patrol party returned to the Indian side after a few hours.
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